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25X1 1. [] Joined Carl Duckett, DDS&T, in attending a White House meeting regarding the impending announcement of a SALT agreement. See Memorandum for the Record.

25X1 2. [] Called Charles Hamel, in the office of Senator Mike Gravel (D., Alaska), to explain that I looked into his allegations regarding our handling of a former covert contact in whom the Senator was interested and found that his complaints were groundless. He seemed satisfied to drop the matter.

25X1 3. [] Shortly before lunch I received a call from Richard Perle, on the staff of Senator Jackson's Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations. Perle asked for a briefing this afternoon or Saturday morning on the pre-SALT NIE on future Soviet strategic forces deployment and Soviet MIRVS. After checking with the Director, I told Perle his request would involve discussion of the SALT situation on which we have no information and the information he requested would have to be obtained elsewhere. Perle said Senator Jackson might want to take this up with the Director on Tuesday. See Memorandum for the Record.

25X1 4. [] Called Roy Banner, General Counsel, National Security Agency, alerting him to the proposed Executive order and active legislation on advisory committees which impose certain disclosure, external oversight and reporting requirements which could cover advisory committees used within the intelligence community. I offered to send him [] analysis of the material and he said he would appreciate anything we could give him.

25X1 5. [] A meeting was held attended by representatives of all deputy directorates, the Intelligence Community, Office of Planning, Programming and Budgeting, and the General Counsel to discuss the impact of the proposed Executive order and pending legislation on advisory committees. OLC is continuing with the followup action.

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6. [redacted] Based on the advice [redacted] FBIS, [redacted] SAVA, called Joseph Thach, Research Analyst, House Internal Security Committee, and told him that we did not believe we could lift the control dissemination "Official Use Only" marking from the FBIS Daily Report on prisoners of war statements. I told him this policy was based on a number of factors, including the possibility that the statements were made under duress and the desire to save the families of the men any unnecessary [redacted] 25X1

7. [redacted] Received a call from Eugene Kopp, Deputy General Counsel, USIA, in connection with the apparently inadvertent release for the public record of testimony given in executive session by USIA witnesses before the House Foreign Affairs Committee on USIA authorization legislation. Mr. Kopp said that GPO will not be making a public printing of the hearing and that he has alerted all executive agencies to treat the copies they have accordingly and that the House Committee will be suppressing their supply also. In response to my question, he said he did not know of any testimony directly impacting on the Agency's interests, but he did identify the testimony of [redacted] Assistant Director, Near East and North Africa, and [redacted] Assistant Director, Soviet Union and East Europe, as being the most sensitive from their viewpoint. I talked to [redacted] CA Staff, to call this development to her attention and asked if she would assure that the DDP area divisions most probably affected were alerted, which she said she would do. 25X1

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